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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

David L. Patton

A METHOD FOR PRINTING AND
VERIFYING LIMITED EDITION
STAMPS

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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action dated November 29, 2000,
applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following
amendments and remarks.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

In the title: delete "ADDITION" and insert --EDITION--.

In the Claims:

Cancel claims 1-11.

15.(Once amended) A limited edition stamp according to claim
13 wherein said unique ID identifies that said limited edition stamp is one out of a
predetermined [amount]limited number.

16. (Once amended) A limited edition stamp according to claim
12 said second indicia is not visible [to the eye] under normal viewing conditions.

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